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E. O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, DA

SUBJECT: VISITS BY DANISH MINISTERS

REF: COPENHAGEN 0586

1. DURING A TALK ON APRIL 4, THE MFA'S POL DIRECTOR OLDENBURG INFORMED ME THAT THE DANES HAD RAISED IN WASHINGTON THE QUESTION OF A VISIT BY DEFMIN OLESEN TO THE US. THEY THOUGHT IT WOULD BE USEFUL TO OLESEN TO BECOME ACQUAINTED WITH HIS NEW AMERICAN COLLEAGUE, SECY RICHARDSON. I DID NOT COMMENT ON THIS EXCEPT TO SAY THAT I ASSUMED THEY WOULD SEE EACH OTHER AT THE DPC MEETING IN MAY.

2. OLDENBURG WENT ON TO SAY THAT THE DANES WERE ALSO ANXIOUS FOR FONMIN ANDERSEN TO VISIT WASHINGTON. THEY ANTICIPATED THAT THIS SUBJECT WOULD BE RAISED WITH SECY ROGERS AT TALKS DURING THE NATO MINISTERIAL MEETING IN MID- JUNE. I PROMISED TO ALERT THE DEPT THAT THIS SUBJECT WOULD PROBABLY BE ON THE DANISH AGENDA. OLDENBURG SAID THE DANES HOPED THAT ANDERSEN COULD BE INVITED TO THE US AS SOON AS CONVENIENT FOR US.

3. COMMENT: AS MENTIONED IN REFTTEL, WE SHOULD CONCENTRATE AT THIS TIME ON AN INVITATION TO FON ECONMIN NORGAARD ( HOPEFULLY IN EARLY MAY) AND GO SLOW ON INVITATIONS TO ANDERSEN AND OLESEN. IF THE SITUATION AS REGARDS OUR RELATIONS DOES NOT CHANGE, I THINK IT WOULD BE USEFUL AT THE TIME OF THE SECY'S VISIT FOR HIM TO  
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INVITE ANDERSEN TO VISIT THE US AT A TIME TO BE MUTUALLY ARRANGED.  
IT WOULD PROBABLY GO A LONG WAY TOWARD SATISFYING THE DANISH GOVT  
IT IT BECOMES KNOWN THAT ANDERSEN HAD BEEN INVITED, EVEN THOUGH  
THE DATE OF THE VISIT WAS NOT DETERMINED.

4. I CONTINUE TO BELIEVE THAT THE INVITATION TO OLESEN SHOULD  
BE DELAYED FOR SEVERAL MONTH.  
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